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FROM KERATIN

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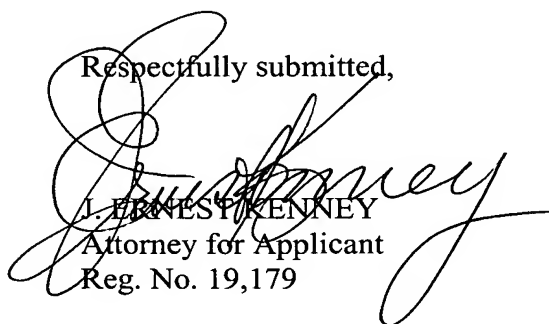
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**APPOINTMENT OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE AND  
STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b)**

KERATEC LIMITED, a corporation of New Zealand (hereinafter Assignee), states that it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the U.S. national stage application (hereinafter the Application) of PCT/NZ03/00116, filed June 10, 2003, entitled ORTHOPAEDIC MATERIALS DERIVED FROM KERATIN, naming as inventors Philip Victor PELOW, Subasinghe Nisanke George Premalal Jayantha DIAS, Alisa Dawn RODDICK-LANZILOTTA, and Robert James KELLY, which Application claims priority of New Zealand patent Application No. 519456 filed June 10, 2002, and hereby revokes all previous powers granted for the Application, and appoints practitioners at:

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- ☐ The Assignment from the inventor(s) to Assignee is recorded at Reel/Frame [   /   ].
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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the Assignee.

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## **ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION**

WHEREAS We 1) Philip Victor PELOW ; 2) Subasinghe Nisanke George Premalal Jayantha DIAS, 3) Alisa Dawn RODDICK-LANZILOTTA; and 4) Robert James KELLY of 1) 17 Garfield Avenue, Dunedin, NEW ZEALAND; 2) 38 Scobie Road, Waverly, Dunedin, NEW ZEALAND, 3) 11a Lyttelton Street, Lincoln, Christchurch, NEW ZEALAND, and 4) 61 St. Martin's Road, Christchurch, NEW ZEALAND; respectively, have made a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent for an invention entitled; ORTHOPAEDIC MATERIALS DERIVED FROM KERATIN filed 10 June 2003, serial number PCT/NZ03/00116;

AND WHEREAS KERATEC LIMITED, of Keratec Building, Springs Road, Lincoln, Christchurch, NEW ZEALAND, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration in hand, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto KERATEC LIMITED, its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, and in and to any and all patents of the United States which may be issued for said invention;

We request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to said KERATEC LIMITED, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered thereby;

We hereby covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned and have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith, and we also agree to execute all papers in connection with the application and any continuing or divisional applications thereof and in connection with any interference which may be declared involving this application or any continuing or divisional application thereof;

AND we hereby grant the firm of Dykema Gossett PLLC the power to insert on this Assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this Assignment.

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